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PART-IIA

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA

NOTIFICATIONS

The 1st August, 2019.

No.FEG.22/2017/50. - In pursuance of clause (3) of Article 166 of the Constitution of India and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order that the following amendment shall be made to Schedule IV of the Meghalaya Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 2006 namely:-

AMENDMENT NO. 17.

- Short title and commencement - (1). These Rules may be called the Meghalaya Delegation of Financial Powers (Amendment) Rules, 2019.
(2) They shall come into force from the date of notification in the Official Gazette.
- Revision of Financial Powers in respect of Estate Officer under General Administration (B) Department, Schedule IV of the Meghalaya Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 2006 - After the existing Sl. No. 17 of Page 64 under General Administration (B) Department, the following entries shall be added as Sl. No.18, namely, -

| Sl. No. | Nature of Powers | Authority | Extent of Powers | General Conditions |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 18. | Technical Sanction to Construction of Departmental buildings (Residential and Non-residential)-Original & Repair Works. | Estate Officer (GAD). | Upto ₹ 2 lakhs only. | The rules as laid down for the Departmental construction of the public building (Appendix 9 of the Meghalaya Financial Rules) are strictly adhered to. |

P. K. AGRAHARI,

Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance (Establishment) Department.

The 6th August, 2019.

No.HPL.37/2006/272. - In exercise of the powers conferred under clause(s) of Section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (Act 2 of 1974), the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to declare that the office as specified in column No. (1) of Schedule No. I below shall be Police Station and that it shall include within its limits the area as specified in column (2) of the said schedule for the purpose of offences to be dealt by Economic Offence Wing (EOW) in the State mentioned in Schedule II below.

The notification shall come into force with immediate effect.

SCHEDULE - I

NAME OF THE OFFICE

JURISDICTION

(1)

(2)

Office of the Additional Director
General of Police (CID/EOW),
Meghalaya, Shillong

Throughout the State of Meghalaya

OR

Office of the Superintendent of Police,
EOW, Meghalaya, Shillong.

SCHEDULE - II

- i. Offences relating to Evasion of Taxes By Forgery.
- ii. Offences under the Essential Commodities Act.
- iii. Offences under the Forest/WLP Act.
- iv. Offences under the Excise Acts.
- v. Offences relating to Violation of Trade and Merchandise Act.
- vi. Offences relating to Black Marketing.
- vii. Offences under the Copyright Act.
- viii. Offences relating to Multi Trafficking/Sale of Narcotic Drugs.
- ix. Offences relating to Cheating/Forgery/Criminal Breach of Trust.
- x. Offences relating to Printing/Circulation of Counterfeit Currencies.
- xi. Offences relating to Stock Market Manipulation.
- xii. Offences relating to Racketeering in Employment.
- xiii. Offences relating to Bank Frauds.
- xiv. Offences relating to Money Laundering.
- xv. Offences relating to Bribery of Public servant.
- xvi. Offences relating to Insurance Frauds.
- xvii. Evasion of Taxes on Motor Vehicle and Other Power Driven Vehicles.
- xviii. Offences related Inter-State and Inter-District Smuggling by Renowned Smugglers.
- xix. Offences under the category of "White Collar Crime".
- xx. Any other particular Offence or Class of Offences that may be specified by the State Government.

R. V. SUCHIANG

Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Home (Police) Department.

The 7th August, 2019.

No.SW(S) 54/98/671. – In partial modification of this department's Notification No.SW(S)54/98/67, dated 16th June, 2015 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5 of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Work place (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (Central Act No. 14 of 2013), the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to re-notify the District Magistrates of the 11 (eleven) Districts of the State of Meghalaya to exercise the powers or discharge functions under this Act within their respective jurisdiction with effect from the date of issue of this notification.

The District Magistrate of the District concerned shall constitute a Committee known as the 'Local Complaints Committee' to receive complaints of sexual harassment from establishment where the Internal Complaints Committee has not been constituted due to having less than ten workers or if the complaints is against the employer himself as laid down in Section 6(1) of Chapter III of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Work Place (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (Central Act No. 14 of 2013).

The District magistrate shall also constitute the Local Complaints Committee as under Section 7(1) (a) upto (d) of the aforesaid Act immediately. The Local Complaints Committee may be notified by designation on priority.

H. MARWEIN,

Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Social Welfare Department.

The 2nd August, 2019.

No.AGRI(G)82/2018/76. - The Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to notify the Meghalaya Institute of Entrepreneurship (MIE) as the Programme Management Unit (PMU) for the organisation of the North East Food Show 2019 by Meghalaya & SIAL (Salon International de 1^{er} Agroalimentaire) and to assist the Directorate of Food Processing in the formation of a Special Purpose Vehicle for taking forward the event.

This cancels Department's Notification No.AGRI(G)82/2018/28, dated 22nd May, 2019.

This order shall come into force with immediate effect and until further orders.

M. N. NAMPUI,

Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Agriculture Department.

The 7th August, 2019.

No.Housing 25/2017/257. - In pursuance to the Para 8 of the guidelines of the Chief Minister's Housing Assistance Programme (CMHAP), the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to de-notify the Block Level Housing Selection & Monitoring Committee of **Mawthadraishan Community and Rural Development Block** constituted *vide* Government Notification No.Housing 25/2017/Pt/32, dated Shillong the 20th March, 2018 with immediate effect.

M. N. NAMPUI,

Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Housing Department.

The 13th August, 2019.

No.ENV.4/99/551. - In pursuance to MoEF & CC, Govt. of India's Notification S.O. 2555(E), dated 10th August, 2017 on Noise Pollution (Regulation & Control) Amendment Rules, 2017, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to declare that;

- 1) "An area comprising not less than 100 meters around Hospitals, Educational Institutions and Courts as silence areas/zones as amended in sub rule (5) of Rule 3";
- 2) "Provided that an area shall not fall under silence area or zone category, unless in accordance with sub rule (2) of the above mentioned Rule".

C. P. MARAK,

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Forests & Environment Department.

The 25th June, 2019.

No.JHADC/GENL/ESTT/2019/7. - The Executive Committee, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council, held on the 17th April, 2019, perused the Petition of the President and the General Secretary, Jaintia Student Union Central Body dated 25th March, 2019 for scraping of all appointments to the various posts alleged to have been illegally made by the last Executive Committee before the 27th February, 2019, General Election to the District Council without advertisement and in violation of the recruitment rules and procedure prescribed in the Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council Service Rules, 1981, as amended. The Under Secretary, Executive Committee who is also the Member Secretary Selection Board is ordered to submit a detail report on the allegation.

Thereafter the Executive Committee which met on the 30th May, 2019, on consideration of public pressure and the report No.JHADC/Genl/16/2019/2, dated 29th May, 2019 of the Under Secretary Executive Committee and Member Secretary Selection Board, is of the view that *prima facie* the aforesaid recruitments has not been done in the manner prescribed in the Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council Service Rules, 1981, as amended. The Executive Committee, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council is therefore pleased to constitute the Inquiry Committee to enquire in depth into the illegality of appointments made to the various posts during the period from the 21st June, 2018 to the 2nd March, 2019.

The Committee shall be known as **Inquiry Committee On The Alleged Illegal Appointments To Various Posts In Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council** and shall consist of the following Members:-

Chairman - Shri L. Lyngdoh, Advocate.

Members - (i) Shri L. P. Nongpluh, Principal Secretary, JHADC.
(ii) Shri B. Pachiang, Officer on Special Duty, JHADC.

Member Secretary - Smti. E. Shylla, Deputy Secretary Executive Committee, JHADC.

Terms of Reference of the Inquiry Committee are:-

1. To investigate into the number of appointments made to different posts carrying different pay scales with the names of the appointees, the date of joining the post, validity of the applications and availability of posts during the period mentioned above which may be termed as period of reference.
2. To enquire into the justification regarding work load made by the Head of Department recommending for appointments with the endorsement of the appointing authority and the order of Executive Committee thereto.
3. To investigation into the observation of recruitment rules and procedure prescribed in the Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council Service Rules 1981 as amended and of the violation and breach of rules thereto.
4. To call for the documents and records for verification and examination as may be necessary from the Secretary Executive Committee and the Under Secretary Executive Committee as the Member Secretary Selection Board and shall also summon and call persons/witnesses as it may considered necessary for enquiry and recording of their statements.

The Inquiry Committee shall submit its reports and findings to the Executive Committee, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council within the 31st July, 2019.

R. PHAWA,
Secretary,
Executive Committee,
Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council,
Jowai.

The 23rd July, 2019.

No.JHADC/GENL/47/1994/272. - The Executive Committee, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council, Jowai, is pleased to appoint Shri Octomewot Lamin, nominated MDC as Vice Chairman, Resources Mobilisation Committee, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council, Jowai, with duties and function as specified *vide* Notification No.JHADC/GENL/15/1991/268, dated 25th March, 2019, with effect from the date of assumption of duties.

The rank and status of the Vice Chairman Resources Mobilisation Committee shall be equivalent to that of the Executive Member, Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council, Jowai.

R. PHAWA,
Secretary,
Executive Committee,
Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council,
Jowai.